Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Barb Jorgensen has been an employee of the Emergency Medical Services Office since October 23, 1984, as an EMT Special Skills and an EMT-Paramedic; and,

Whereas, Barb has served with distinction in the Brookings and Madison offices; and,

Whereas, Barb has distinguished herself by her service to the state of South Dakota's Emergency Medical Services Office by her leadership, commitment to excellence, loyalty, and dedication to duty; and,

Whereas, Barb will retire after serving the state of South Dakota for 23 years while providing excellent service to the ambulance services and emergency medial technicians in South Dakota; and,

Whereas, The Emergency Medical Services office will greatly miss her warm smile, friendly personality, and caring nature; and,

Whereas, Barb's retirement plans include taking a vacation and spending time with her husband, children, and grandchildren; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to honor this outstanding South Dakota on the occasion of her retirement:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 3, 2008, as

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in South Dakota, and I join her friends and colleagues in the Department of Public Safety in offering her best wishes for an enjoyable retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifteenth Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State